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DEAR COUNTY DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL SERVICES

ATTENTION: ADULT SERVICES SUPERVISORS

SUBJECT: AT RISK CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES TRAINING

We are pleased to offer At-Risk Case Management Services training for Adult Services staff in seven locations this fiscal year. The locations will be as follows: New Hanover County DSS, Wilmington, September 10, 2008; Guilford County DSS, Greensboro, October 7, 2008; Martin Community College, Williamston, November 4, 2008; Land of Sky Regional Council of Governments, Asheville, December 2, 2008. Carteret County DSS, Beaufort, January 20, 2009; Mecklenburg County DSS, Charlotte, March 3, 2009; and Johnston County DSS, Smithfield May 5, 2009. The one-day workshop is designed specifically for adult services staff providing At Risk Case Management Services.

This essential training provides participants an opportunity to learn how to implement At Risk Case Management Services in compliance with law and policy. The workshop will begin promptly at 8:30 a.m. and will end by 4:30 p.m. By the end of the workshop, participants will have a working knowledge of At Risk Case Management Services policy, procedures, and practice guidelines. The At Risk Case Management policy manual is located on the Division of Medical Assistance web site at <http://www.dhhs.state.nc.us/dma/bh/12A.pdf>.

Charles Williams, Adult Services Program Coordinator, will conduct the workshops. Staff may register for whichever workshop location is most convenient. Your agency may register as many persons as deemed appropriate unless space becomes an issue at a particular training site.

You must pre-register even though there is no registration fee. Refreshments will not be provided, but participants are welcome to bring their own snacks and beverages to the training event. Space is limited at each site, so **please complete registration information at least two weeks in advance of the chosen event**. Registration is to be completed online at <http://www.ncswLearn.org>.

Registrants will be sent a confirmation letter, directions to the workshop site, and a list of local lodging accommodations. If you need additional workshop information, you may contact your Adult Programs Representative or Charles Williams at (919) 733-3818.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Suzanne P. Merrill".

Suzanne P. Merrill, Chief
Adult Services Section

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